



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE
GOVERNOR

DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

EUGENE A. CONTI, JR.
SECRETARY

February 17, 2011

Notice to Prospective Bidders

Small Business Enterprise

Contracting Opportunity

Division Three

- Project Description: Repair and /or Replacement of Bridge Expansion Joints in Brunswick, Duplin, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender & Sampson Counties (Secondary System).

T.I.P. No.: N/A

**WBS ELEMENTS: 3SP.20104.501, 3SP.20314.501, 3SP.20654.501, 3SP.20674.501
3SP.20714.501 & 3SP.20824.501**

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE

In order to bid on this contract, all prospective bidders must attend the Pre-Bid Conference to be held on Tuesday, March 15, 2011 at 10:00 AM at the Division 3 Engineer's Office located at 5501 Barbados Blvd. Castle Hayne, N.C. 28429. This meeting will begin promptly at 10:00 AM.

Prospective bidders arriving after the 10:00 AM starting time will not be allowed to bid. The Conference will be conducted by Department personnel for the purpose of providing additional information about the project and to give all bidders an opportunity to ask any questions they may have. Only bids received from the bidders who have attended and properly registered at the Pre-Bid Conference will be considered.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the Repair and /or Replacement of Bridge Expansion Joints in Brunswick, Duplin, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender & Sampson Counties (Secondary System). All quantities are estimates only.

The contractor is to furnish labor, materials, equipment, and traffic control.

- The availability date for this project is June 1, 2011.
- The completion date is May 31, 2012.

Sealed bids must be received in the Division 3 Engineer's Office at 5501, Castle Hayne, N.C. 28429 by 2:00 PM on Tuesday, April 12, 2011. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet included in the proposal and display the following statement on the front of the envelope:

QUOTATION FOR WBS ELEMENTS: 3SP.20104.501, 3SP.20314.501, 3SP.20654.501, 3SP.20674.501, 3SP.20714.501 & 3SP.20824.501. Repair and /or Replacement of Bridge Expansion Joints in Brunswick, Duplin, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender & Sampson Counties (Secondary System) TO BE OPENED ON TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 2011 AT 2:00 PM.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights of 1964 (78 Stat.252) and the Regulations of the Department of Transportation (49 C.F.R., Part 21), issued pursuant to such act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this notice will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of sex, race, color, or national origin.

SBE PROGRAM INFORMATION

This is a SBE contract and to qualify for the NCDOT SBE Program a firm must have an annual gross income of \$1,500,000 or less, exclusive of materials.

Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified are requested to apply for certification immediately. Additional information and forms on the program may be obtained online at: <http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/>

**Do not submit the forms with the Bid Documents.
Send completed forms to:**

**Contractual Services Unit
ATTN: SBE
1509 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-1509**

Per G.S. 136-28.10, a NC General Contractor's license may be waived for SBE contracts. For this project, the NC General Contractor's license will be waived.

Per G.S. 136-28.10, contract payment and performance bonds may be waived. For this project, the contract payment and performance bonds will be waived.

Visit <http://www.ncdot.org/doh/>, select a division number from the state map for other projects in Division 3 and other divisions in the state.

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Sincerely,



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Mr. Patrick Riddle, Division Program Manager
Mr. Trevor K. Carroll, Division Bridge Maintenance Engineer
Mr. Herman Futrell, Bridge Maintenance Supervisor
Mr. Donald L. Rich, Bridge Maintenance Supervisor
Mr. Eric Britt, Bridge Maintenance Supervisor
Mr. Chris Knowles, Bridge Maintenance Contributing Engineering Technician
Mr. Stoney Mathis P.E., for Division Environmental Engineer
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